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## THE GAZETTE.

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### TO-DAY'S ANNIVERSARIES

Born: Dr. Joseph Priestley, 1733.  
Father: John (Swift's "Stella") 1861.  
Died: La Fontaine, 1695.  
Bellarmine, 1601.  
Sophia Lee, 1824.  
John H. Noyes, founder of the Oneida community, 1859.  
Uranus discovered, 1781.

### HOME RULE ON LIQUOR.

There are two classes of republicans who are opposed to the county option bill now before the legislature. One class take upon themselves the responsibility of saying that the republican party will suffer if the proposed county option law is enacted. The other class make the unwise prediction that the law will be a dead letter were it enacted, as for instance, in counties where prohibition would be adopted, there would be open violation of the law, and that public sentiment would not be strong or courageous enough, to suppress the law breakers.

As was said in the Gazette the other day, the legislature has no right to permit such considerations as these govern their action on the county option bill. The people are the best judges of their own interests, and not the legislators. The people should be trusted with self-government. The principle of home rule on the liquor question should be adopted. It is far to presume that any proposition to amend the constitution prohibiting the sale of liquors in this state would be defeated. The popular vote would be against it for the reason that there is a greater percentage of foreign voters in Wisconsin than American voters. It is only in states where there is a large agricultural element and where a majority of the voters are American, that state prohibition can be carried.

This is a condition that confronts the people, and an unpleasant condition that confronts the temperance element in the state. But the more intelligent of the temperance workers are willing to surrender the submission of a prohibitory amendment to the people, and take in its stead the county option law. This seems to be practical home rule on the question of whether saloons shall enumber the counties or not. In some counties the saloons would be voted up, but in many others they would be voted down by a big majority.

The legislature which is very strongly republican, can do the people no better service this session than by enacting the county option law. It takes the question out of politics, and gives the counties the power to decide whether or not they will be burdened with the saloon evil or not. Nothing can be fairer than this. It is simply a proposition to give the people the authority to have prohibition in the counties if they want it. Whether or not such a proposition will either advance the republican party or injure it, is not for the legislature to consider. It is the business of the legislature to do right, to legislate for the people, and leave the result to the people.

"You may not believe it," said a Pennsylvania railroad official in the lobby of the Continental hotel last evening, "but these rats were sometimes accomplished misanthropes. A case in point is that of Dr. Emil Borries, who went to Washington Territory some months ago, and who decided to return about the time the Pacific roads began their late terrific outting. For a number of days eastern tickets had been offered at unprecedented low figures, but Borries thought it would be wise to wait a while before purchasing as the drop was steady and continuous. Finally when he was offered a ticket from Dayton, Washington Territory, to St. Louis for one dollar, he decided that his time had come. Closing with the agent at that figure he took passage on a first class train, and was literally carried 2,000 miles for just 100 cents. It was, I believe, the cheapest journey ever made by a paying passenger."

Philadelphia Inquirer.

Minneapolis is still there, and appears to be feeling as well as usual, thank you. The Tribune of that city concludes an article in regard to her future with this eloquent outburst:

Minneapolis can be landed so high and dry upon the rocks of permanent and greivous prosperity, that the waves of coming centuries, lashed by the trade winds and commercial cyclones of world-rival cities, cannot as much as wet her feet or dampen with spray her municipal skirts.

It is pleasant to believe, remarks the New York Tribune, that it is the manifest destiny of Minneapolis to stride down the century with the star of progress flaming on her forehead undimmed neither by trade winds nor cyclones, with her dimpled feet dry and her snowy skirts undampened. It is a beautiful picture—perhaps some rising St. Paul artist will put it on canvas.

One of the marked changes which is readily noticed in Washington since the 4th of this month, is the absence of southern domination in the departments. "For the first time in four years an American citizen can now do business in any of the departments without encountering a cabinet officer who served in the rebel army or the confederate congress."

This is the statement of one who is an old stager in Washington, and the change he notes is something the people can be thankful for.

Here is another dig at the late democratic administration by the New York World, dem: Ex Secretary Fairchild is coming to New York to take the presidency of a trust company. He has been connected for some time with a company in Washington which, we regret to ob-

serve, was not sufficiently trusted to warrant its continuance. There doesn't seem to be any ending to the democratic thrash at the late democratic administration.

It is an excellent record that was made by the railroads leading to Washington before and after the inauguration. Not a single accident has been reported in connection with the transportation of the vast crowds to and from the capital. One road alone carried 105,000 passengers. The experience suggests that railroading is becoming an exact science.

## THE WISCONSIN LEGISLATURE

The Assembly Committee Report Against Purchasing State Fair Grounds.

The Local Option Bill The Special Order in the Senate This Evening

Other Business Considered in the Two Houses This Morning.

Special to the Gazette.  
MADISON, Wis., March 13.—The assembly passed the following bills:

Regulating the manner of letting and execution of contracts for public work in Milwaukee.  
Prohibiting local authorities from closing highways without awarding compensation to adjacent property owners.  
Prescribing the manner of discharging insolvent debtors, making voluntary assignments.

Authorizing towns to condemn toll roads and make them free public highways.

Authorizing six thousand Milwaukee public library bonds.

The assembly concurred in the senate resolution endorsing Spooner's Farm Institute bill.

The agricultural committee this morning reported four to three against the bill to buy a permanent home for the state fair.

In the senate the following bills were concurred in:

Authorize Milwaukee to pension widows and children of police and firemen.  
To change time of holding court in twelfth circuit.

Authorizing the purchase of additional land at state hospital.

To purchase permanent camp grounds at Camp Douglas.

Local option comes up in the senate this evening as a special order.

## THE SIESTA.

The Spanish Custom Not a Bad One in Some Respects.

Who would stia, is Spanish, and means the short sleep after dinner in which most people indulge who live in hot climates. The heat of mid-day is so enervating that it is impossible then to do effective work, so that the siesta, while it gives a brief rest, does not cause a loss of working hours.

The need of a short "nap" after dinner is not less here than in the torrid zone. Its effect is to furnish a new supply of nervous force; to do on a smaller scale what the night's sleep does on a larger one.

Both the climate of the country and our national habits tend to keep the brain and nervous system at a high tension. From youth to old age we are on the race for wealth or position, for pleasure or fashion, for reform or religion. How different is this from the indolent life of the tropics, and even from life in the European countries, where the pressure—perhaps also the rewards of ambitious striving—may be less.

We need something more than the mid-day nap. We need to see that, without a radical change, there is danger ahead for us. Indeed, much of it is already on us, in the rapid multiplying of apoplexy, paralysis, softening of the brain, heart complaint, nervous prostration and nervous ailments generally.

We need to force ourselves to take things more quietly; to think more of the rest and solace of duties of home; and less of the shop and club and the parties of pleasure. We need to preach up the virtues of contentment and self-control, and preach down the vice of an all-consuming greed.

But, meanwhile, the mid-day nap is of vast help. It is wonderful how much recuperative power there is in a nap of a few minutes. No one who has ever acquired the habit of a brief siesta has failed to experience it, and perhaps there is no way in which a quarter of an hour of quiet time, every day, can be invested with a prospect of a better dividend in health and length of days than an after-dinner nap.

A Horse's Painful Plight.  
Bob Pratt, of Troup county, Georgia, is the owner of a valuable horse. A short time ago the horse strayed off, and diligent search failed to locate his whereabouts, and Mr. Pratt had about given up all hope of seeing the animal again.

Thirteen days after he was missed a negro boy while hunting in the swamp found the horse in the bed of the creek standing in the water, the high banks on either side preventing the horse's escape. He immediately reported the matter to the owner, where several of his neighbors went with him to relieve the horse of his long imprisonment. The bank of the creek had to be dug down, and when the incline was completed the horse lost no time in rushing to the top, though he was much exhausted by his terrible exposure.

He had been in the creek thirteen days without other food than he had picked from the almost bare banks. The hair about his legs all dropped off from being in the water so long, but he seemed to suffer no further damage.

## CAPT. F. W. DAWSON SHOT.

A CHARLESTON EDITOR KILLED BY A DOCTOR.

Foully Murdered While on a Mission of Mercy—A Dastardly Crime—Other Misdeeds.

CHARLESTON, S. C., March 12.—Capt. F. W. Dawson, editor of the News and Courier, was murdered Tuesday afternoon about 5:30 o'clock by T. B. McCoy, a physician of this city. It seems that McCoy, who is a married man and the father of a family, had been too familiar with a Swiss maid in Capt. Dawson's family, and that Capt. Dawson had visited McCoy at his office to remonstrate with him. Words and blows followed and the encounter ended in McCoy shooting Capt. Dawson through the heart. The murderer then locked up his office and went out. Three hours later he surrendered himself to the police authorities and the body of the murdered man was found lying in McCoy's office. The murder causes intense excitement and there is talk of lynching.

## A KASCAT'S MAD ACT.

Foiled in a Base Attempt, A Youth Attempts Murder and Suicide.

DETROIT, Mich., March 12.—Late last night Emil Brule shot Miss Ida Corneau in the head and then put a bullet into his own skull. Brule who is the son of the Postmaster at Lake Linden, in the upper peninsula, met Miss Corneau last summer while she was visiting friends at Lake Linden, and some time later they became engaged. Brule came to Detroit three weeks ago, intending to remain until after the marriage. A few days ago, however, he learned that she was a married man and refused to have anything further to do with him. Last night they met on the street. After walking a short distance he threw his arm around her and kissed her and then drew a revolver and shot her in the ear. She fell to the sidewalk, and thinking he had killed her he placed the revolver to his own head and fired. The woman's injuries are not considered dangerous, but Brule will probably die.

## WAS HE MURDERED?

The Body of a Man Found in the Chicago River.

CHICAGO, March 12.—Early this morning the body of a man was found in the Chicago River near the Chicago & Alton bridge. The body had been in the water about two months, and was that of a man about 30 years of age, 5 feet 8 inches tall, brown hair and smooth face. In his pocket was found an old silver watch and silver chain, and two notes, one for \$500, dated June 1, 1887, payable to the order of Frank Vinopal, and signed by the name of M. A. Kakuska. The other was for \$50, payable to the order of Frank Vinopal and signed by Tiekol Katerina Zemark.

The body is supposed to be that of Frank Vinopal, who lived at 174 Seward street and disappeared a few months ago. It is not known whether he committed suicide or was murdered, and the police are at work clearing up the mystery.

Brutal Chinamen Bound Over.  
MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 12.—Sam Lip Ja and Hal Ding made their last public appearance for the present shortly before noon Tuesday, when they formed the center of a hollow square of police and deputy sheriffs. The trip to the jail was made without disturbance. The prisoners were held in \$5,000 bail each to the Criminal court.

The testimony against Sam Lip Ja was even stronger than that against Hal Ding. The State placed two witnesses on the stand. Both were defied by Sam Lip Ja.

On the cross-examination the State brought out that, having debauched one child, the Chinaman used her as a decoy to secure other victims.

Criminals Break Jail.  
ASHLAND, Wis., March 12.—Seven of the worst criminals in the new jail here broke out and escaped at 8:35 last night. Hans Olson, the jailer, was in the cage when three of the prisoners made a rush at him, knocked him senseless with some instrument. When he recovered the men had gone. Upon examination it was found that Daniel Ritchie and Louis Burk, held for murder, John McDonald and William Graham, charged with assault with intent to kill, and Fred Ford, other prisoners had succeeded in getting out.

Two Train Bandits Caught.  
TULANE, La., March 12.—Last evening word was received that the two men who held up the Southern Pacific train, near Filley, last month, committing robbery and murder, were in Bakerville, and were being taken to Arizona. Officers were sent down on a special train at the rate of sixty-seven miles an hour, with police officers of this city on board. The robbers, who are believed to be the right men, were arrested and will be brought here at once.

Worse Than Brigham Young.  
KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 12.—Hiram M. Adams, a colored deputy constable, shot and fatally wounded Samuel Patterson, a colored barber, in a quarrel over a 50-cent dice game this morning. Patterson died this afternoon. Several hundred negroes visited Adams in his cell during the day, among them ten women, each of whom claimed to be his wife.

To Be Punished at Last.  
NEILLSVILLE, Wis., March 12.—Isaac Fields, notorious in this section of the country as a keeper of a disreputable house, was yesterday sentenced to one year in the State prison. Fields has had a case here in every term of the Circuit court for the last five years, but this is the first time he has been sentenced, although he has been fined several times.

Clerk and Blatly Held for Trial.  
HARTFORD, Conn., March 12.—Clerk and Blatly, engineers of the Park Central, which collapsed recently with such disastrous results, were arraigned Tuesday in the Superior court and held for trial under \$1,500 bail. Clerk's father furnished bail for him, but Blatly has not as yet succeeded in finding bondsmen.

Murdered His Brother-in-Law.  
OWASSO, Mich., March 12.—Tom Kelly, aged 23, a cigar-maker, shot dead his brother-in-law, Stanley Graham, last night. Kelly was locked up. The murder grew out of an old feud of long standing.

Strike at Danville, Va.  
DANVILLE, Va., March 12.—Six or seven hundred colored laborers employed by the Danville Construction company on the Atlantic & Danville railroad have struck for \$1.25 per day, the present pay being \$1. The company refuses the advance and the hands are gradually falling back to work.

A West Virginia Failure.  
GRATTON, W. Va., March 12.—Nuzum & Horenstun, merchants of this place, made an assignment yesterday. Liabilities, \$15,000; assets, unknown. Preferred creditors about \$7,000.

Miss Bessie H. Bedloe, of Burlington, Vt., had a disease of the scalp which caused her hair to become very harsh and dry and to fall so freely she scarcely dared comb it. Ayer's Hair Vigor gave her a healthy scalp, and made her hair beautifully thick and glossy.

First cold then cough, then consumption, then death. "I took Dr. Acker's English Remedy for Consumption the moment I began to cough, and I believe it saved my life."—WALTER N. WALTON, Washington. FRENCH & EYERSON, druggists.

## THE NEWS AT A GLANCE.

Fall River, Mass.—The situation in the great weavers' strike remains unchanged.

Lima, Ohio.—Five prisoners escaped from jail here by playing up the door above their cells.

Delaware, Iowa.—Frank Bennett, a notorious counterfeit, was arrested here Monday night.

Benton, Ill.—John Martin, a farmer, shot and perhaps fatally wounded his divorced wife.

Benton, Ill.—The child of Dr. Witt Glover was burned to death while playing with a lighted corn-shuck.

Berlin.—Private letters from Zanzibar say Stanley is marching rapidly toward the east coast of Africa.

Lewistown, Pa.—The Lewistown jail works have been closed on a confession of judgment for \$32,000.

Lima, Ohio.—Lizzie Johns, because her lover married another girl, took a dose of strychnine and will die.

Chamberlain, Dak.—The Missouri is now clear of ice at this point, being the earliest this has occurred for many years.

Duluth, Minn.—J. A. Long, a burglar confined in the county jail, seriously wounded Turney Hale and made his escape.

Charles City, Iowa.—John Freseman, a farmer, committed suicide. Temporary insanity is assigned as the cause of the deed.

Braxton Court House, W. Va.—Twenty-five citizens have been held by the grand jury charged with assuming the role of White Caps.

New York.—The trunk line passenger agents have resolved to discontinue all payments of grant commissions on and after March 20.

Eastville, Va.—Peter Smith, a prominent citizen, was shot and killed by Jefferson Adair. The shooting was the result of a quarrel over a game of cards.

Waterloo, Iowa.—Farmers in this county will begin spring planting the first of next week. The ground is very dry and early rains will be much needed.

LaCrosse, Wis.—An immense hay and stock barn on the farm of James Rich near here burned. Nine fine horses were consumed. Loss \$8,000, insurance light.

Joliet, Ill.—George Gardner, an Illinois and Missouri horse thief and ex-convict, was sent to Joliet prison for nine sentences for horse-stealing, footing up eleven years.

Lewistown, Pa.—The sheriff levied on the property of the Lewistown Jail works under executions issued on judgments confessed on the company's paper amounting to \$23,000.

St. Louis, Mo.—The works of the Moran Bolt & Nut Manufacturing company, on Main and Florida streets, were almost destroyed by fire. The loss will probably amount to \$25,000.

Milwaukee, Wis.—The grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias in session at the hall of the order on Grand avenue. There are fifty-one lodges in the State, with a membership of \$3,000.

Pittsburg, Pa.—The Pittsburg and Western express, operated over the lines of the Pittsburg & Western railway and the leased lines, has been sold to the Wells-Fargo express company.

Eaton Rapids, Mich.—V. R. Steiglitz, cigar manufacturer, assigned to F. Z. Hamilton. Liabilities about \$6,000; assets small. Friedman Brothers, tobaccoists, Chicago, are the largest creditors.

Rockford, Ill.—The Rockford grape-sugar works have been sold to the National Syrup company of Chicago for \$20,000. The capital stock will be increased to \$250,000, and the works largely increased.

Marquette, Mich.—Fire broke out in the village of Champion, and for a time it seemed as if the whole town was doomed. Help was called from neighboring towns, but the wind suddenly died out and the fire was confined to one lively barn.

New York.—W. D. Sprowl, the manager of the firm Austin, Nichols & Co., whose sudden and mysterious disappearance some time ago caused a great sensation, has turned up all right at Parkersburg, W. Va. The cause of his disappearance is still a mystery.

Brantwell, W. Va.—The body of Thomas Lynch, a prominent citizen of Monroe county, was found here lying at the foot of a precipice on the line of the Norfolk & Western railroad track, a few miles from here. He had evidently been killed and his body thrown over the cliff.

Make it in Time.  
"For want of a nail, a shoe was lost; for want of a shoe, a horse was lost; for want of a horse, a rider was lost. Never neglect small things. First sign of pneumonia and consumption can promptly be checked by Dr. Acker's English Remedy for Consumption. Prentice & Evenson, druggists."

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## COMMERCIAL NEWS

JANESVILLE MARKET CORRECTED BY FRANK GRAY.

JANESVILLE, March 12 1889.  
Receipts of grain have been light the past week and the market has ruled steady at the following quotations:  
FLOUR—Best Patent \$1.60 per sack; second \$1.50 Winter, \$1.40  
WHEAT—Good to best milling, \$5.00 per bushel; shipping grades \$4.80 to \$5.00  
BARLEY—Ranges at \$3.00 to \$3.50, according to quality.  
BUCKWHEAT—\$6.00 to \$6.50, per 52 lbs.  
CORN—New ear, 72 lbs., \$2.00; shelled 25¢ to 26¢  
OATS—White, \$2.00 to \$2.25; mixed, 20¢ to 22¢  
GROUND FEED—\$3.00 per 100 lbs.  
MEAL—\$3.00 per 100 lbs.  
MIDDLINGS—\$4.00 to \$4.50, per 100 lbs.  
HAY—Timothy per ton \$6.00 to \$7.00; other kinds \$4.00 to \$5.00  
CLOVER SEED—\$4.00 to \$4.50, per bushel.  
CROCKERY SEED—\$1.00 to \$1.25, per 40 lbs.  
POTATOES—\$3.00 to \$3.50, per barrel.  
BUTTER—Good supply 18¢ to 19¢  
EGGS—Plenty, Fresh at 11¢ to 12¢; per dozen  
POULTRY—Turkeys \$3.00 to \$3.50; chickens 95¢  
WOOL—Washed 24¢ to 26¢; unwashed 16¢ to 18¢  
HIDES—Green 34¢ to 36¢; Dry 72¢ to 75¢  
LIVE STOCK—Hogs \$4.25 to \$4.40 per 100 lbs. Cattle \$2.50 to 3.00

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